

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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February 7, 2022

Advice Letter 6431-E and 6431 E-A

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SUBJECT: Establishing PG&E's Wildfire and Natural Disaster Resilience Rebuild (WNDRR) Program Balancing Account.

Dear Mr. Jacobson:

Advice Letter 6431-E and 6431 E-A is effective as of December 9, 2021.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "SB".

Simon Baker
Interim Deputy Executive Director for Energy and Climate Policy/ Interim Director,
Energy Division
California Public Utilities Commission

December 9, 2021

Advice 6431-E

(Pacific Gas and Electric Company U 39 E)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Subject: Establishing PG&E's Wildfire and Natural Disaster Resilience Rebuild (WNDRR) Program Balancing Account

Purpose

This advice letter establishes the Wildfire Natural Disaster Resilience Rebuild Program (WNDRR) Balancing Account to track the payment to Southern California Edison Company (SCE), the program administrator and contract agent, and the recovery of that payment from residential customers over one year via non-bypassable Public Purpose Program (PPP) charges. This advice letter is submitted pursuant to Decision (D.) 21-11-002, Ordering Paragraph 2(g), issued on November 9, 2021. The new balancing account shall be effective upon filing.

Background

As required by D.21-11-002, Ordering Paragraph 2 (g), "[E]ach IOU, except SCE, shall submit a Tier 1 Advice Letter within 30 days from the issuance of this decision to establish a WNDRR Program Balancing Account to record (1) payment to SCE to fund the WNDRR Program and recovery of that payment from residential customers over one year via non-bypassable PPP charges."¹

Tariff Revisions

In compliance with D.21-11-002, PG&E proposes to establish the following balancing account:

Electric Preliminary Statement Part JH, Wildfire Natural Disaster Resilience Rebuild Program Balancing Account (WNDRRPBA-E).

¹ Decision 21-11-002, OP 2(g).

Protests

*****Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the shelter at home orders, PG&E is currently unable to receive protests or comments to this advice letter via U.S. mail or fax. Please submit protests or comments to this advice letter to EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov and PGETariffs@pge.com*****

Anyone wishing to protest this submittal may do so by letter sent via U.S. mail, facsimile or E-mail, no later than **December 29, 2021**, which is 20 days after the date of this submittal. Protests must be submitted to:

CPUC Energy Division
ED Tariff Unit
505 Van Ness Avenue, 4th Floor
San Francisco, California 94102

Facsimile: (415) 703-2200
E-mail: EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov

Copies of protests also should be mailed to the attention of the Director, Energy Division, Room 4004, at the address shown above.

The protest shall also be sent to PG&E either via E-mail or U.S. mail (and by facsimile, if possible) at the address shown below on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission:

Sidney Bob Dietz II
Director, Regulatory Relations
c/o Megan Lawson
Pacific Gas and Electric Company
77 Beale Street, Mail Code B13U
P.O. Box 770000
San Francisco, California 94177

Facsimile: (415) 973-3582
E-mail: PGETariffs@pge.com

Any person (including individuals, groups, or organizations) may protest or respond to an advice letter (General Order 96-B, Section 7.4). The protest shall contain the following information: specification of the advice letter protested; grounds for the protest; supporting factual information or legal argument; name, telephone number, postal address, and (where appropriate) e-mail address of the protestant; and statement that the protest was sent to the utility no later than the day on which the protest was submitted to the reviewing Industry Division (General Order 96-B, Section 3.11).

Effective Date

PG&E requests that this **Tier 1** advice submittal become effective upon date of submittal, which is **December 9, 2021**.

Notice

In accordance with General Order 96-B, Section IV, a copy of this advice letter is being sent electronically and via U.S. mail to parties shown on the attached list and the parties on the service list for **R.19-01-011**. Address changes to the General Order 96-B service list should be directed to PG&E at email address PGETariffs@pge.com. For changes to any other service list, please contact the Commission's Process Office at (415) 703-2021 or at Process_Office@cpuc.ca.gov. Send all electronic approvals to PGETariffs@pge.com. Advice letter submittals can also be accessed electronically at: <http://www.pge.com/tariffs/>.

/S/

Sidney Bob Dietz II
Director, Regulatory Relations

Attachments

cc: Service List R.19-01-011



ADVICE LETTER SUMMARY

ENERGY UTILITY



MUST BE COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)

Company name/CPUC Utility No.: Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E)

Utility type:

- ELC GAS WATER
 PLC HEAT

Contact Person: Stuart Rubio

Phone #: (415) 973-4587

E-mail: PGETariffs@pge.com

E-mail Disposition Notice to: SHR8@pge.com

EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

ELC = Electric GAS = Gas WATER = Water
 PLC = Pipeline HEAT = Heat

(Date Submitted / Received Stamp by CPUC)

Advice Letter (AL) #: 6431-E

Tier Designation: 1

Subject of AL: Establishing PG&E's Wildfire and Natural Disaster Resilience Rebuild (WNDRR) Program Balancing Account

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Compliance

AL Type: Monthly Quarterly Annual One-Time Other:

If AL submitted in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #: D.21-11-002

Does AL replace a withdrawn or rejected AL? If so, identify the prior AL: No

Summarize differences between the AL and the prior withdrawn or rejected AL: N/A

Confidential treatment requested? Yes No

If yes, specification of confidential information:

Confidential information will be made available to appropriate parties who execute a nondisclosure agreement. Name and contact information to request nondisclosure agreement/ access to confidential information:

Resolution required? Yes No

Requested effective date: 12/9/21

No. of tariff sheets: 3

Estimated system annual revenue effect (%): N/A

Estimated system average rate effect (%): N/A

When rates are affected by AL, include attachment in AL showing average rate effects on customer classes (residential, small commercial, large C/I, agricultural, lighting).

Tariff schedules affected: See attachment 1

Service affected and changes proposed¹: N/A

Pending advice letters that revise the same tariff sheets: N/A

¹Discuss in AL if more space is needed.

Protests and all other correspondence regarding this AL are due no later than 20 days after the date of this submittal, unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, and shall be sent to:

CPUC, Energy Division
Attention: Tariff Unit
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102
Email: EDTariffUnit@cpuc.ca.gov

Name: Sidney Bob Dietz II, c/o Megan Lawson
Title: Director, Regulatory Relations
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Title:
Utility Name:
Address:
City:
State: District of Columbia Zip:
Telephone (xxx) xxx-xxxx:
Facsimile (xxx) xxx-xxxx:
Email:

Cal P.U.C. Sheet No.	Title of Sheet	Cancelling Cal P.U.C. Sheet No.
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ELECTRIC PRELIMINARY STATEMENT PART JH

Sheet 1

(N)

WILDFIRE AND NATURAL DISASTER RESILIENCY REBUILD PROGRAM BALANCING ACCOUNT - ELECTRIC (WNDRRPBA-E)

(N)

JH. WILDFIRE AND NATURAL DISASTER RESILIENCY REBUILD PROGRAM BALANCING ACCOUNT – ELECTRIC (WNDRRPBA-E)

(N)

(N)

1. PURPOSE: The purpose of the WNDRRPBA is to record the payment to Southern California Edison to fund the WNDRR Program and the recovery of that payment from residential customers over one year via Public Purpose Program charges. The WNDRR Program provides incentives and support owners of residential and multi-family properties in rebuilding lower-carbon, all-electric homes post-wildfire and other natural disasters.

(N)

2. APPLICABILITY: The WNDRRPBA shall apply to residential customers as specified by the Commission.

3. REVISION DATE: The upfront payment shall be recovered from the residential customers through Public Purpose Program charges in the Annual Electric True-Up.

4. RATES: The WNDRRPBA is collected as part of the non-by-passable Public Purpose Program rates set forth in each rate schedule. The WNDRRPBA rate is set forth in the electric Preliminary Statement Part I.

5. ACCOUNTING PROCEDURE: The following entries will be made each month, or as applicable.

a. A debit entry equal to the payment made to program administrator to fund the WNDRR Program as approved by the Commission;

b. A credit entry equal to the revenue collected for funding the WNDRR Program from residential customers over one year via non-bypassable Public Purpose Program (PPP) charges;

c. A debit or credit entry to transfer the balance to or from another account, as authorized by the Commission;

d. An entry equal to the interest on the average of the balance in this account at the beginning of the month and the balance in this account after the above entries at a rate equal to one-twelfth the interest rate on three-month Commercial paper for the previous month, as reported in the Federal Reserve Statistical Release, H.15, or its successor.

(N)

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Advice 6431-E
Decision 21-11-002

Issued by
Robert S. Kenney
Vice President, Regulatory Affairs

Submitted
Effective
Resolution

December 9, 2021
December 9, 2021



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**PG&E Gas and Electric
Advice Submittal List
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AT&T
Albion Power Company

Alta Power Group, LLC
Anderson & Poole

Atlas ReFuel
BART

Barkovich & Yap, Inc.
California Cotton Ginners & Growers Assn
California Energy Commission

California Hub for Energy Efficiency
Financing

California Alternative Energy and
Advanced Transportation Financing
Authority
California Public Utilities Commission
Calpine

Cameron-Daniel, P.C.
Casner, Steve
Cenergy Power
Center for Biological Diversity

Chevron Pipeline and Power
City of Palo Alto

City of San Jose
Clean Power Research
Coast Economic Consulting
Commercial Energy
Crossborder Energy
Crown Road Energy, LLC
Davis Wright Tremaine LLP
Day Carter Murphy

Dept of General Services
Don Pickett & Associates, Inc.
Douglass & Liddell

East Bay Community Energy Ellison
Schneider & Harris LLP Energy
Management Service
Engineers and Scientists of California

GenOn Energy, Inc.
Goodin, MacBride, Squeri, Schlotz &
Ritchie

Green Power Institute
Hanna & Morton
ICF
International Power Technology

Intertie

Intestate Gas Services, Inc.
Kelly Group
Ken Bohn Consulting
Keyes & Fox LLP
Leviton Manufacturing Co., Inc.

Los Angeles County Integrated
Waste Management Task Force
MRW & Associates
Manatt Phelps Phillips
Marin Energy Authority
McKenzie & Associates

Modesto Irrigation District
NLine Energy, Inc.
NRG Solar

OnGrid Solar
Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Peninsula Clean Energy

Pioneer Community Energy

Public Advocates Office

Redwood Coast Energy Authority
Regulatory & Cogeneration Service, Inc.
SCD Energy Solutions
San Diego Gas & Electric Company

SPURR
San Francisco Water Power and Sewer
Sempra Utilities

Sierra Telephone Company, Inc.
Southern California Edison Company
Southern California Gas Company
Spark Energy
Sun Light & Power
Sunshine Design
Tecogen, Inc.
TerraVerde Renewable Partners
Tiger Natural Gas, Inc.

TransCanada
Utility Cost Management
Utility Power Solutions
Water and Energy Consulting Wellhead
Electric Company
Western Manufactured Housing
Communities Association (WMA)
Yep Energy